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PRINT DATA PROGRAM FOR CREATING

PRINT DATA, PROGRAM FOR CREATING PRINT DATA, AND COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM CONTAINING THE

PROGRAM

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Advisory Action dated August 17, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.